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Re: Application of Nicholas Bernard BODY, Felix Anton Harold COLLINS and Anthony David SMITH
 IMPROVEMENTS IN OR RELATING TO CONTROL AND/OR MONITORING SYSTEMS
 Assignee: **CARDAX INT'L LIMITED**
 Our Ref: Q65785

Dear Sir:

The following documents and fees are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. § 371 and in accordance with Chapter II of the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

☒ a Preliminary Amendment

The Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

It is assumed that copies of the International Application, the International Search Report, the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by § 371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned can easily provide them upon request.

Applicant claims benefit of small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.27.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows (Small Entity fees apply):

Total claims	<u>10</u>	-	20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$9.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>1</u>	-	3	=	<u> </u>	x	\$40.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee										\$500.00

TOTAL FEE \$500.00

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$500.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.492 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from February 11, 1999 based on New Zealand Application No. 334139.

Respectfully submitted,

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Nicholas Bernard BODY, et al.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended claims:

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3. An access control device as claimed in claim 1 where in the electronic identification means includes a key pad.
 4. An access control device as claimed in claim 1 wherein the audio communications device is in the form of an intercom.
 5. An access control device as claimed in claim 1 wherein the audio communications device includes the ability to play pre-stored audio clips.
 6. An access control device as claimed in claim 1 wherein the data from the electronic identification means and audio communications device is in a format that can be transmitted from the access control device over a single communications cable.
 7. An access control device as claimed in claim 1 which can be activated or controlled by a remote operator.